

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 2, add the heading --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 1, line 13, add the heading --SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 9, line 18, add the heading --BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING--.

Page 12, line 15, add the heading --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED
EMBODIMENTS--.

Page 19, after the heading "PATENT CLAIMS" and before the first claim add --

What is claimed is:--

Page 23 delete completely and substitute therefore:

--ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A torsional vibration damper includes two modules which rotate relative to each other and a spring chamber which is sealed by providing the first module with a first guide surface which seals the spring chamber radially to the outside, and is spaced from the second module by a gap, with the first guide surface having an axial surface component facing the spring chamber, and by providing a second guide surface which has an axial surface component which faces the spring chamber and covers the gap on the spring chamber side.--